

3-5-11

Sgt. Wilson 9:50 AM

## GRIEVANCE FORM

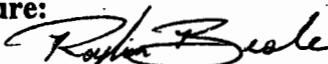
Date: 3-4-11

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From (print name): Raylyn Beale		Date of Birth: 10-15-1981	Housing Assignment: (SMU) D1N2
Date of Incident: 2-18-11 / 2-19-11	Time: Approx. 12:30AM - 1:00AM	Officers Involved: Officer Harless, Deputy J.P. Madigan, Officer Muhammad and Two more officers that's UNKNOWN TO ME.	

## GRIEVANCE (please print):

On the date and time shown above I was the victim of an EXCESSIVE USE OF FORCE while I was restrained in handcuffs. It began when words were exchanged between I and the two officers (Harless and Deputy Madigan) in the booking area of the Pitt County Detention Center. Harless, highly upset from our verbal exchange, grabbed me by my elbow (while I was handcuffed) and proceeded with trying to force me to sit. When I refused, he and two more officers (including the Deputy Madigan) drug me into a small room that's normally used as an inmate dressing room, and began their assault. Being that my back was facing the officers, I can't pinpoint exactly which one it was that tasered me. All I can recall is being tasered and slammed on the ground, busting my eye. I could hear the officers yelling "QUIT RESISTING, QUIT RESISTING!", but how could I resist or be of any threat while on the ground and in handcuffs? Not to mention that there were FIVE (5) officers present; One for each body part. Afterwards, I woke up to the nurse breaking an ammonia stick under my nose. The officers "REALLY" knocked me unconscious! Where's it in policy does it warrant the use of a taser while an inmate is handcuffed behind the back? I have the marks to prove my accusation and I ask that medical staff documentation be reviewed to corroborate my story, as well as Lt. Stokes. From the time that I was arrested until the time that I was put in a cell, I was handcuffed. No amount of force should've been used against me. I'm fully aware of the camera attached to the tazer, so I also request that that footage be reviewed also.

Inmate Signature: 	Housing Assignment: (SMU) D1N2	Date: 3-4-11
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## REPLY:

REDO to Capt. Phillips 3/5/2011 @ 15:00hrs Why didn't he REVIEW THE "CAMERA FOOTAGE" instead of and/or along with the "Incident documents"?

After reviewing incident documents APPROPRIATE FORCE WAS USED TO CONTROL YOUR CONTINUING EFFORTS TO AGGRESSIVELY STRIKE/HARM DEPUTIES/OFFICERS CONDUCTING THEIR DUTIES. YOUR THREATS AND ACTIONS DICTATED THE NEED FOR FORCE USED DURING THIS INCIDENT. AS REPORTS STATE, YOU CONTINUED TO COMMUNICATE THREATS THAT ENTIRE EARLY morning. EVEN AFTER THE FORCE WAS USED IN THE INTAKE AREA, YOU CONTINUED (AND SUCCEDED) TO ASSAULT STAFF IN THE A-BLOCK housing unit. BY YOUR OWN ADMITION TO ME, YOU ASSAULTED OFFICER WAINWRIGHT WHICH RESULTED IN MEDICAL ATTENTION. THIS ASSAULT ALSO, REQUIRED ADDITIONAL CRIMINAL CHARGES AGAINST YOU. IN ADDITION, AFTER WE SPOKE TOGETHER, YOU HAVE CONTINUED TO THREATEN BIASLY HARM TO OTHER OFFICERS HERE FOR NO APPARENT REASONS.

Signature: 	Title: Captain	Date: 3-8-2011
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Officer S. Allen stated to me on 4-2-11 at approximately 3:30<sup>v</sup> that an unknown officer (He  
wouldn't tell me the name) enlightened him on the incident by stating that I had stopped  
moving (unconscious) after hearing the crackling of the taser three (3) times. He also stated  
that the taser was then placed against my skin (Dry tased) for an additional time.

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On the date and time of 4-2-11 at approximately 7:15<sup>v</sup>, Lt. Stokes made his rounds in the D-Block  
housing area. I stopped him at my door to consult with him about the incident that happened to me  
on Feb. 18-2011. He stated that he couldn't speak on something that he didn't see, but he was sure  
that everything was on video tape.

officer

On the date and time of 4-3-11 at approximately 5:40 pm, R. Blow Jr. came to my cell door in the  
D-Block housing unit and proceeded to discuss the incident that happened on 2-18-11. He stated that he  
wasn't there when the incident began, but was present when "Deputy Madigan" tased me several  
times. He also stated that "After" Deputy Madigan shot me with the taser gun, he then "Dry  
tased" me. He admitted to knowing that I was in handcuffs but said that he had no right to inter-  
fere with what the deputy was doing, due to his position of rank, therefore he just watched it  
happen. He stated that at the point and time when I was unconscious, he feared that I may  
have been dead. He stated that he didn't want me to sue him so he didn't want to say  
too much, but that was after we talked for 30 minutes. ☺

J.

On the date and time of 4-3-11 at approximately 6:20 pm, Officer Allen approached my door and  
stated that although I was tased, I needed to push the issue about "How many times I was tased";  
and "How long I was tased". because the officers are only allowed to tase an inmate for a max-  
imum time of 15 seconds, but I was tased for at least twice that time. Each pull of the trigger  
last for 5 seconds.